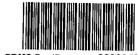


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Mr. George M. Kickel Manager, Environmental Services Lord Corporation 2000West Grandview Blvd. P.O. Box 10038 Erie, PA 16514-0038

RE: Lord-Shope Landfill Superfund Site Change of Remedial Project Manager

Dear Mr. Kickel:

This letter is to inform you that, beginning January 1, 2007, the EPA Remedial Project Manager for the Lord-Shope Landfill Superfund Site will be Mr. David Turner. Mr. Turner is a very experienced Remedial Project Manager and is quite familiar with the Lord-Shope Landfill Site. It was Mr. Turner who drafted the Record of Decision under which the remedial actions at the Site have been accomplished.

Mr. Turner can be contacted at the same EPA address that has been used for Lord Corporation's mailings to me. Mr. Turner's telephone number is 215-814-3216, and his e-mail address is turner.david@epa.gov.

I want to thank you and Lord Corporation for your cooperation over the past several years, and I sincerely believe that you and Mr. Turner will enjoy the same high quality business relationship.

Sincerely,

Victor J. Janosik

Remedial Project Manager

CC: John Morettini, PADEP Linda Dietz, EPA David Turner, EPA